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Bunnings clinics join local vax drive

Pop-up Covid vaccination clinics will appear at Bunnings stores in Yeppoon and North Rockhampton this weekend offering a jab with a snag.

The Member for Keppel and Assistant Education Minister Brittany Lauga said the two pop-up clinics, both in the Keppel electorate, would be open 9am-1pm.

She said the initiative was another part of the Queensland Government’s drive to boost the vaccination rates to strengthen the health of Queenslanders.

“People will still be able to get the vaccine at established Queensland Health vaccination centres, GPs, pharmacies and outreach clinics, but this weekend as a boost you will also be able to get your jab at one of our local Bunnings stores.”
“So, if you see a vaccination clinic at Bunnings and haven’t yet been vaccinated I’d encourage you to please walk in and get the jab.

“We’re targeting locations with lower vaccination rates, and unfortunately the local government areas of Livingstone and Rockhampton are amongst those,” said Ms Lauga.

Opening hours and other information will be available online at www.health.qld.gov.au/vaccinebookings later this week.

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